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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re A	Application of:		
Dennis W. WAHR et al.		Group Art Unit: 3763	
Application No.: 09/845,162)		Examiner: K. Thompson	
Filed:	May 1, 2001))	
For:	EMBOLI PROTECTION DEVICES) AND RELATED METHODS OF) USE)		RECEIVED
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Sir:

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.